

There was no objection.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Karen L. Haas, Clerk of the House, reported that on December 13, 2018, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills:

H.R. 4111. To amend the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to improve the number of small business investment companies in underlicensed States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1872. To promote access for United States diplomats and other officials, journalists, and other citizens to Tibetan areas of the People's Republic of China, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3996. To amend title 28, United States Code, to permit other courts to transfer certain cases to United States Tax Court.

H.R. 5759. To improve executive agency digital services, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2454. To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to establish a data framework to provide access for appropriate personnel to law enforcement and other information of the Department, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1918. To oppose loans at international financial institutions for the Government of Nicaragua unless the Government of Nicaragua is taking effective steps to hold free, fair, and transparent elections, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3342. To impose sanctions with respect to foreign persons that are responsible for using civilians as human shields, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4407. To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3s101 Rockwell Street in Warrenville, Illinois, as the "Corporal Jeffrey Allen Williams Post Office Building".

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the House stands adjourned until noon on Wednesday, December 19, 2018, for morning-hour debate and 2 p.m. for legislative business.

There was no objection.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 35 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Wednesday December 19, 2018, at noon for morning-hour debate.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the fourth quarter of 2018, pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO CANADA, EXPENDED BETWEEN NOV. 16 AND NOV. 19, 2018

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Hon. Mike Turner	11/16	11/18	Canada		620.00	(3)	856.00				1,476.00
Hon. Gerry Connolly	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Tom Marino	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Rob Bishop	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Susan Davis	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Rick Larsen	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Jim Costa	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Hon. Brett Guthrie	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Adam Howard	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Janice Robinson	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Ed Rice	11/16	11/19	Canada		930.00	(3)					930.00
Committee total					9,920.00	(3)	856.00				10,776.00

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

³ Military air transportation.

HON. MICHAEL R. TURNER, Nov. 28, 2018.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO SPAIN, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 29 AND NOV. 1, 2018

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Cindy Herrle	10/29	11/1	Spain		753.00		9,242.00				9,995.00
Katie Pointer	10/29	11/1	Spain		753.00		13,844.00				14,597.00
Committee total					1,506.00		23,086.00				24,592.00

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

MS. CINDY HERRLE, Nov. 27, 2018.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

7170. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Accidental Release Prevention Requirements: Risk Management Programs Under the Clean Air Act [EPA-HQ-OEM-2015-0725; FRL-9987-23-OLEM] received December 3, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7171. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agen-

cy's final rule — Air Plan Approval; Texas; Interstate Transport Requirements for the 1997 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards [EPA-R06-OAR-2008-0408; FRL-9986-64-Region 6] received December 6, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7172. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's direct final rule — Air Plan Approval; Texas; Emission Statements [EPA-R06-OAR-2018-0676; FRL-9986-66-Region 6] received December 1, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7173. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agen-

cy's final rule — Air Plan and Operating Permit Program Approval: AL, GA and SC; Revisions to Public Notice Provisions in Permitting Programs [EPA-R04-OAR-2018-0296; FRL-9987-13-Region 4] received December 3, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7174. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — 1-Propanesulfonic acid, 2-methyl-2-[(1-oxo-2-propen-1-yl)amino]—, homopolymer, sodium salt and 1-Propanesulfonic acid, 2-methyl-2-[(1-oxo-2-propen-1-yl)amino]—, sodium salt (1:1), homopolymer; Tolerance Exemption [EPA-HQ-OPP-2018-0290; FRL-9985-99] received December 3, 2018, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110